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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Vasily A. Topolkarev et al.

Appln. No.: 09/840,755

Filed: April 23, 2001

For: Articles Comprising Biodegradable Films
Having Enhanced Ductility and Breathability

Attorney Docket No: 659/1756 (K-C Ref. No. 16,722)

Examiner: Jennifer A. Boyd

Art Unit: 1771

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Sir:

Attached is/are:

- ☒ Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 and Request for Reconsideration
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ Small Entity.
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					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
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Total		Minus			x \$25=			x \$50=	
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Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 AND REQUEST FOR
RECONSIDERATION**

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Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Advisory Action mailed January 11, 2006. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider the rejections in view of the following amendment and remarks, as set forth below

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.